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For: **POWER TRAIN FOR USE IN MOTOR VEHICLES AND THE LIKE**

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated February 5, 2004 (Paper No. 18), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.